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It has been estimated that within 5 years, 4-5 local businesses close due to Walmart's proximity to them. The negative economic impact of Walmart's monopoly and underlying objective to "rid any competition within a 10 mile radius" has undermined our local economies, not to mention the outsourcing to China and India for manufactured goods. The reasons to disallow a Walmart bank are numerous and I'm sure you are well aware of them.

DO NOT ALLOW WALMART TO GO INTO THE BANKING BUSINESS IN ANY WAY, SHAPE, OR FORM!! We will NOT support such a business and will make sure they do NOT succeed.

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